

Interview Summary

Application No.

09/926,366

Applicant(s)

KONIGER ET AL.

Examiner

D. Lawrence Tarazano

Art Unit

1773

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) D. Lawrence Tarazano.

(3) _____

(2) Corwin Umbach.

(4) _____

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Date of Interview: 08 October 2003.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____

Claim(s) discussed: Claims of record.Identification of prior art discussed: Klum et al. (4,855,184).Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The examiner and Mr. Umbach discussed various changes that could be made to the claims. As indicated in the prior office action claim 4 would be allowable; the examiner stated that just an inner layer of PMMA would differentiate the instant claims from the prior art. Mr. Umbach proposed combining claims 3 and 7 with the deletion of urethanes and polyesters, the examiner stated that he would also consider this combination.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

D. LAWRENCE TARAZANO
PRIMARY EXAMINER

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Examiner's signature, if required

